



State of California—Health and Human Services Agency
Department of Health Services

Funding Alert



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**California Department of Health Services, Tobacco Control Section (CDHS, TCS)
Capacity Building Center for Diverse Populations Request for Applications (RFA) TCS 07-101**

TCS announces a tentative release date of **April 4, 2007**, for RFA TCS 07-101, Capacity Building Center for Diverse Populations. The purpose of this RFA is to fund one capacity building center to address training and technical assistance needs for all TCS-funded agencies who are working with the following priority populations; 1) African American; 2) American Indian/Alaska Native; 3) Asian and Pacific Islander; 4) Hispanic/Latino; 5) Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender (LGBT); 6) Low Socio-Economic Status (Low SES); 7) Blue and Pink Collar Workers; and 8) Rural Residents.

Approximately \$1.8 million is estimated to be available for this RFA. The award amount is contingent upon the use of multi-year spending authority and available revenues in the Governor's fiscal year (FY) 2007-08 budget and subsequent FYs. The contract period begins November 1, 2007 and ends October 31, 2010 for a project period of 36 months. **This is a multi-stage application and the anticipated due date for Stage I - Applicant Capability is April 26, 2007.**

To receive a copy of the RFA via mail, please complete the information below and return the form via mail or fax **no later than March 20, 2007**, to:

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A copy of the RFA and updates will be on the CDHS website at: www.dhs.ca.gov/tobacco after the release date.

The RFA information meeting will **not** be an in-person, on-site meeting. The information meeting will be a combined Internet and conference call utilizing Avaya®, a visual and interactive meeting software. Additional information regarding the logon process and web meeting will be provided in the RFA. It is highly recommended that the CDHS website be checked regularly to receive all pertinent information related to this RFA.

The information meeting is tentatively scheduled for:

Wednesday, April 11, 2007
8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY – RFA TCS 07-101

Agency Name: _____

Street Address: _____

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Attention: _____ Phone: _____

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